It's Pleasing to Particular People-HAGAN'S Ice Cream-Kirk's Stores

We don't want to get rich, but we would like to be able to help everybody worthy, provide a good newspaper for the town and be encouraged to make things hum. Could there be any higher ambition for a newspaper? Help us grow.

Daily Independent

VOL. 13, NUMBER 305 MONESSEN, PA., TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1915 SIX CENTS THE WEEK

To boost the town, its schools, its churches, its homes and give every person a nice wedding and death notice and do it every day, takes some energy and nerve force. We like to do it, but it takes "boodle" to pay the force. Ads furnish the boodle.

High School Track Team Winners Over Latrobe

The crack Monessen High school track and field team strengthened their claim on the High school championship of this end of the state yesterday defeating the team representing Latrobe in a dual meet, the final score being 58 to 48. All events were closely contested and with the the broad jump and relay race yet to be run, the Latrobe boys had the lead by a score of 42 to 39. In the broad jump, the locals captured all three places and had an easy time winning the relay.

The locals proved exceptionally strong in the sprints and McQuaide, the local's fastest man, again carried off first in both the 100 and 220 yard dash. The Monessen relay team which is considered the best that ever represented the local school, surprised the fast Latrobe bunch when they won this event in easy fashion The Latrobe boys have competed with some of the strongest teams in and about Pittsburgh and have carried off a number of prizes, and their defeat yesterday was a great shock to their many admirers. The Monongahela team, the fastest in the valley after taking a prominent place in the Washington meet and carrying off the laurels at Wilmington against the best in Western Pennsylvania are numbered among the local victims for the season.

Following is the result of the events yesterday:

100 yard dash—McQuaide, M, first; Williams, M, second; Freeble, L, third. Time—11 1-5 sec.

Mile Run—J. Hughes, L, first; Zappone, L. second; Preston, M, third. Time—5:15 1-5.

Pole Vault—Osborne, L, first; Moore, M, second; Beatty, L, third. Height—10 feet.

220 yard dash—McQuaide, M, first; Rosenthal, M, second; Williams, M, third. Time—25 seconds.

Discus—Osborne, L, first; Hess, M, second; Reed, L, third. Distance—94 feet, 8 inches.

440 yard dash—Hugus, L, first; P. Smith, M, second; F. Hess, M, third. Time—57 seconds.

High Jump—Gray, L, first; Hazlett, L, second; McKinley, M, third. Height—5 feet, 2 inches.

ShotPut—H. Hess, M, first; Ferry, L, second; Preston, M third. Distance, 38 feet, 2 inches.

Half Mile Run—Hugus, L, first; Rosenthal, M, second; Madison, M, third. Time—2 min., 16 sec.

Broad Jump—Hess, M, first; McKinley, M, second; Dawson, M, third. Distance—19 feet 7 inches.

880 yard erlay—Won by Monessen team consisting of Williams, McQuaide, P. Smith and Rosenthal. Time—1 minute, 44 seconds.

Hugus was the individual star of the meet, while Moore of the locals, set a new High school broad jump record when he jumped 19 feet 7¼ inches. At the close of the meet, the locals elected James McQuaide captain of the team for the next season.

Celebration Planned For Fourth of July

Already arrangements are being made for a Fourth of July celebration here. It will not be held on as broad a scale as in some former years, but it will be fully as patriotic an occasion. Committees have been appointed by Chairman Tanzer of the Board of Trade to look after the details. There will likely be a parade in the early afternoon with speaking from the Sixth street band stand. An attempt will be made to get foreign societies to participate together with a delegation of newly naturalized citizens. These men will be asked to line up around the platform and renew their allegiance to their new country under the stars and stripes. In the evening patriotic songs will be sung from the park stand and fireworks will be put off.

Collect Large Sum For Beigian Relief

When treasurer L. X. Ely forwards his check from Monessen for the Belgian relief fund, it will no doubt surprise even those at the head of the movement locally. The committee of fifty that solicited the town yesterday found most people willing to make some sacrifice in order to help starving humanity. In very few cases was the proposition turned down coldly. Those who were not able to contribute offered their sympathy for the unfortunates and while sympathy will not keep alive those who are starving, yet it helps and encourages those who are giving of their time and efforts to help a worthy cause.

All of the churches gave a noble response. The ministers of all congregations gave a united response and they, together with the mill heads, will be largely responsible for the good showing Monessen will be able to make.

While Burgess Dunlap pledged but 500 sacks of flour or $1,000, the amount raised will far exceed that and will likely reach $3,000. There have been few books turned in yet, but at the next meeting, a pretty general report will be made. The committee will likely meet tomorrow evening in the council chamber to make a final report, as most of the soliciting will have been done by that time.

—See Kirk's window for the one cent sale.—One week only. 1t

—Dr. Cornelius has removed his dental offices to 410 Donner Ave. 83-1mo.

Recovered Body Of Little Hero

The body of Thomas Hughes, the fifteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes was recovered from the bottom of the Monongahela river yesterday afternoon at 2:55 o'clock.

Councilman Gus Krueil, with the aid of grappling hooks, chanced to get hold of the boy's clothing at about the same point as he had gone down. The water at this point is about twenty feet deep.

The drowning occurred about 11 o'clock and immediately a searching party was started and several hours spent before the body was found. Death is supposed to have been caused by cramps, as the boy was an exceptionally good swimmer and was only about thirty feet from the shore when drowned.

The body was prepared for burial and was taken to the home of the parents on McKee avenue. Announcement will be made of the funeral in tomorrow's issue of this paper.

When Hughes pulled Albrecht from the water yesterday, it was the third life he had saved within the past three years. Two years ago he saved the life of a companion in the Shenango river at Sharon and last season as a local lad was going down for the third time he went to the rescue and brought him safely to shore.

Good News For Workmen

Steadier employment for the men of the United States Steel Corporation's mills in the McKeesport district was assured yesterday with the blowing in of the last of a group of four blast furnaces which supply the National Tube works with raw material. Many employes who have been idle will be given work.

It is the first time since the business depression of 1907 that all four furnaces of this group have been in operation. The company has announced that there are enough former employes to man all departments.

Tin Mill Employees Are Generous In Donation

At noon today the committee soliciting funds for the Belgian Relief in the National works of the American Sheet and Tin Plate company completed its task and made final tabulations. The workmen in this plant alone raised the sum of $2,810.10, which amount will be turned over to L. X. Ely, treasurer, at once. This was the first mill to make its report and the results are far beyond expectation and will be generally satisfactory to all concerned.

It is doubtful if any one industrial concern the size of this one in the entire Pittsburgh district, or anywhere, wil go as far and sacrifice as much for unfortunate humanity.

The tin mill employs about fifteen hundred men and this money was raised among the workmen, from the office force down through the long army of skilled men to the laborers. Some contributed one day's work, others more, but nearly every person in the mill gave something.

It was an appeal made individually for the cause of humanity and how well it was made and how far sympathy goes can be determined by results. This money was not given out to aid others without some sacrifice. There is no question but what certain people made a wonderful sacrifice to give what they willingly and freely did, and if there is anything in "casting bread upon the waters," the blessings of such sacrifice certainly belongs to the army of workers in the Monessen Sheet and Tin Plate company.

When the report is received from the other mills, they too, will no doubt show that the generosity, the self sacrifice on the part of the workingmen will be gallant and unstinted. But in the meantime and for all time, hats off to the National Tin Plate company.

Max Thomson Will Take Brenner Stand

Max Thomson, the jeweler, who is now located in the Daumitt building on Schoonmaker avenue, will on or about June 15 remove his stock and fixtures to Phil Brenner's stand on Donner avenue. Mr. Thomson has been in business for the past two years in Monessen and he has established himself well, building up a good business and making a host of friends. His new location is bound to bring him added prestige and give him one of the finest jewelry stores in the valley. The room made vacant by his removal will be occupied by I. Mayer, who also conducts a jewelry store near Fourth on Schoonmaker avenue.

MONESSEN PA. OLYMPIC HOME OF THE PIPE ORGAN

Today is positively one of our greatest days. Charlie Chaplin, the talk of America, the dead raiser and the laugh manufacturer. The next is "Shattered Memories" in three reels, a Civil war drama, heart touching, produced by Bob Leonard and Ella Hall, the favorite stars in "The Master Key," a serial picture. This drama reminds you of the glorious days, the birth of liberty. Just imagine marching before you 200 old Civil war veterans in a parade purposely for this picture. 2,000 people are taking part in this picture which shows the faithfulness of two young people. The next is a Nestor comedy which is liable to hurt your insides. You will laugh if you only see our lobby display. 1t

—Saturday at the Olympic—The third episode of "The Diamond from the Sky." You remember $10,000 is to be paid for a suggestion to this picture. 1t

—Special for one week only—any two 25c articles as shown in Kirk's window for one cent and a quarter.

Specials

Three flavor brick cream, frozen custard, black walnut cream, maplenut, Chocolate, Strawberry and cherry ice cream and orange sherbet.

Kirk's Drug Stores

4th and Donner 6th and Reed

Satisfaction in a Self-shave

If you would make shaving a pleasure instead of a surgical operation, equip yourself with such shaving goods as we carry: Razors Safety Razors, Strops, Lather Brushes, Soaps, Toilet Waters, Lotions, Etc.

If you have never learned the art of shaving, you can easily start with Croscut's Safety Razor. You will find it a great convenience and time-saver on your vacation trip.

Craig's Drug Store

The Rexall Store

461 Donner avenue

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Business conditions throughout the country are promising. Increasing demand offers the right incentive to cultivate, manufacture and produce more.

The First National bank has excellent facilities for handling your banking business and invites your checking account.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK MONESSEN, PA.

Capital $50,000.00 Surplus and Profits $72,000.00

Boroughs To Consolidate

By a vote of 490 to 309, the citizens of Vandergrift and Vandergrift Heights approved the consolidation of the two boroughs. The combined population will be about 9,000.

Victim of Heat Prostration

—While walking along Donner avenue late yesterday afternoon in front of Cowan's shoe store, James Miller, a mill worker, fell to the street prostrate on account of the extreme heat. The man was removed to the local hospital where his condition is said to be critical.

—Thursday at the Olympic—The fourth chapter of "Who Pays"—"The Love Liars," in three reels. 1t

MEYERS' STORE NEWS

SHIRTS

Laundered cuff shirts are poor sellers this season. The demand is for soft cuffs: therefore all our $1.00 laundered cuffs we reduce to **79c**.

All $1.50 grades **$1.13**.

All $2.00 grades **$1.38**.

HALF HOSE

Selling now, 25c lisle hose, all shades including white and Palm Beach, 6 pr. in box **$1**.

Children's Straws

Bought too heavy on children's straws. We are going to sell $2.00 straws at **$1.50**.

$1.50 straws **$1.00**.

$1.00 straws **75c**.

No reduction on 50c hats.

25c hats **19c**.

M. Meyers & Son MEN'S WEAR ONE DOOR MONESSEN

TRADE MARK REGISTERED

10 to 40 % Discount on All Goods

Our clothes are guaranteed to fit perfectly. If you are not pleased in every respect we ask you not to accept the suit or to pay one cent.

C. L. LEWIS

The Royal Tailor Man

403 Donner Ave.

With W. S. Robins & Co.

Don't Neglect to Make a Will

If their is no will the public officials put the estate into the hands of an administrator.

It is your advantage to make your will now and appoint the Monessen Savings and Trust Company as your executor—then your estate is in safe hands.

Monessen Savings & Trust Company

Monessen Institute

Electrical and massage institute. Treatments given for nervous troubles, rheumatism, stiff joints and all nerve and muscular disorders.

Barker Bldg., 6th and Donner

John Lindh, Prop.

SUMMER WANTS

During our 4th Anniversary we Offer Exceptional Values

44c Plain white middies, sizes 6 to 20, regular 50c value for **44c**.

44c Gingham wash suits for boys, regular 50c and 59c values only **44c** a suit.

54c Linen finished sheets, regular bed size, exceptional quality, regular 59c value for **54c**.

18c New summer voiles, 36 to 40 in. wide, regular 25c value, special at **18c** per yard.

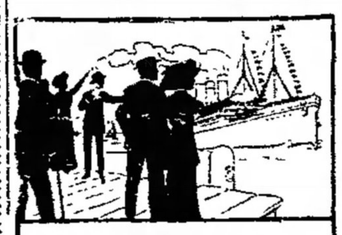
44c Children's gingham dresses, all sizes, 4 to 12, regular 50c value only **44c**.

$1.94 Summer wash skirts made of garbidine and pique, regular $2.50 values for **$1.94**.

$1.74 Ladies' trimmed hats, special table, regular value $2.50 to $5.00, choice only **$1.74**.

1/3 off on all Afternoon and Evening Gowns

N. W. Schlup Co.



The grand opera stars have gone abroad, but—

you can still hear them sing their greatest triumphs on the Victor.

Though they are thousands of miles away, Caruso, Melba, Tetrazzini, and all the other famous artists who make records exclusively for the Victor, sing for you whenever and as often as you wish.

Come in and hear them, and see the different styles of the Victor ($10 to $150) and Victor-Victrola ($15 to $200). Easy terms if desired.

Victor

D. KRASIK

Jeweler

Formerly Raskin Bros.

Warm Weather Wearables

Straw Hats

Dozens of different styles of straw hats ready for you; every hat brand new; Panama hats (the genuine, not the Japanese imitation), Bangkoks, Italian Leghorns, Mackinaws, Sennits, and fine China split straw hats, $1.00 to $4.00 for all but the Panamas and Bangkoks, which are $2.50 to $6.00.

Summer Suits

Light weight, comfy cool suits for the sweltering hot days that are coming. Finely fashioned and made for wear in Cassimeres, Worsteds and Homespun Cheviots; $12 to $20. Palm Beach suits $8.50 and $13.50.

Sport Shirts

The new hot weather shirt--collar can be worn high or low--in fancy or plain colors 50c to $1.50.

FRANTZ & BOYD

The Big Store Down on Donner

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Daily Independent

H. B. Pore, Editor and Publisher
G. A. Diehl, General Manager

(Only daily paper published in Westmoreland county in the upper section of the Monongahela valley

Display advertising rates furnished on application

per word. Legal notices [illegible] first insertion, 5c per line thereafter.

Changes for advertisements must be in before 10 o'clock on day of issue to insure the change

Generally Satisfactory

The federal court decision giving [illegible] and morals has been received with general satisfaction. Nobody except a few extreme radicals wanted to see the Steel Trust dissolved.

Not that the public [illegible] any great regard for the giant corporation, but merely because the public has lost its taste for trust busting and no longer cares much one way or the other. For the time has passed when the dissolution of a great combine could seriously affect the country's business.

The history of the oil and tobacco trusts has shown that industries run [illegible] pretty much the same [illegible] their legal status may be. The public, however, preferred to see the Steel Trust left intact as a contribution to the country's business stability in a time of uncertainty.

The pronounced "bullish" effect of the decision in Wall street may be set down as largely "psychological." Wall street, knowing the basic prosperity of the country, was looking for an excuse for an outburst of optimism, and the judicial approval of U. S. Steel provided the excuse.

Of course there was natural and legitimate satisfaction in high places over the fact that a federal court had declared mere business bigness to be no crime, if that bigness is coupled with fair and legal methods. That the behavior of the Steel Trust in recent years has been pronounced legal is a gratifying omen to all other organizations which, though honest, have feared that their methods might be technically construed as unlawful. Their reassurance will have a wholesome effect throughout the whole realm of business. But the effect will not necessarily be to encourage the formation of other trusts on the model of the big steel corporation, for the very facts presented in the court's statement show that the Steel Trust has not accomplished what was expected of it.

The United States Steel Corporation, while moderately prosperous, has lost ground relatively [illegible]. It now controls only 40 per cent. of the steel business of the country. While it has gained 40 per cent. in its volume of business in ten years, nine independent companies have gained anywhere from 63 per cent. to 3,700 per cent. One rival particularly, the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, has been amazingly successful.

Morally, the decision is a victory for big business. Practically, it is of little importance. The Steel Trust would have gone ahead pretty much the same whether intact or dissolved. There is no evidence that its consolidation of many plants and interests has brought added efficiency. Recent industrial history seems to show that greater efficiency is to be expected of small, compact organizations than of big, loose ones.

Capitalizing the Flag

It's all very well to say that Americans going to Europe in these perilous times should travel on American ships. But when it devolops that American liners sailing from our ports are few and far between, and that the rates on them have been raised to an almost prohibitive figure, the situation isn't so simple.

The biggest of our trans-Atlantic steamship lines has been accused of "capitalizing the Stars and Stripes" at the expense of passengers who fear to cross the sea except under their own flag. Rates for passage, which were already high enough for a reasonable profit, have been raised to two or three times the prices charged by British liners. Several diplomats, rather than submit to the exhobitant charges, have cancelled their reservations and sailed on foreign ships. The behavior of the little group of men now monopolizing and capitalizing the American flag on the Atlantic has aroused wide spread criticism.

While we're asking American passengers to be patriotic—and safe—in patronizing only American vessels, we might urge the vessel owners themselves to contribute a little patriotism.

An Investment in Promptness

In the quick closing of long-range business, Western Union Day Letters or Night Letters pay large profits on their cost.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.

The Best Printing--You Get It at the Independent Office

Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D. LL. D., Commissioner of Health

Tooth Brush

We have been taught that the tooth brush should be as indispensable from youth to old age as a man's shadow. Indeed the latter might be dispensed with without jeopardizing one's position in society. The use of the tooth brush is excellent, but it is well remembered that as it is intened do the instrument itself should be [illegible] in this regard. The majority of disease germs find their way into the human system through the mucous membrane of the nose and mouth.

If the teeth are not frequently and properly cleansed, these germs or bacteria will multiply in cavaties or where particles of food have become lodged between the teeth. These minute germ breeding centers should be removed by vigorous brushing, but when the desired result is accomplished, care should be taken that they do not in turn lodge in the intricacies of the tooth brush. If they remain there they are later retransferred to the mouth.

To guard against this, the brush should be thoroughly cleansed before and after using in scalding water if this is obtainable. If not, in some non-poisonous antiseptic wash. At least, wash the brush with soap and water and rinse thoroughly.

Care should be taken not to keep a tooth brush where it is exposed to dust and dirt. If there are several members of the family, the same receptacle should not be used for the brushes, as the germs of disease may readily be transmitted from one brush to another in this manner.

It is well to make use of white thread or dental floss to remove particles from between the teeth which are difficult to remove with the brush. It is from fragments of food that lodge between the teeth that decay often starts.

When you visit the dentist you expect and demand exceptional cleanliness in the care of his instruments. See that your own dental utensils are immaculate.

Many People In This Town
never really enjoyed a meal until we advised them to take a
Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet
before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25c a box.
Craig's Drug Store.

NOTICE CREDITORS

Having sold my business I wish to inform all creditors that bills are now due and should be paid to me at once at No. 95 East Schoonmaker avenue.

89-3tw Andrew Koczan.

BIDS FOR COAL

In compliance with Section 708 of the School Code of Pennsylvania, the Monessen School Board will receive bids for a good grade of Run of Mine coal to be delivered to the various school buildings of the Borough of Monessen for the school year, 1915-16, up until Tuesday, June 15th. Bids must be quoted per ton and left in the hands of the secretary on or before above date. Bidders may make alternative bids for the supplying of one or more buildings separately, if they so desire.

By order of the Board.
Monessen School Board.
F. D. Bumbaugh, Pres.
95-1tw 3w C. H. Dils, Sec.

W.A. WATERSON
Charleroi, Pa.
Dealer in high class Awnings.
All work guaranteed
Bell Phone 188-R

The only way to get the genuine
New Home
Sewing Machine
is to buy the machine with the name NEW HOME on the arm and on the legs.
This machine is warranted for all time.
No other like it
No other as good
The New Home Sewing Machine Company,
ORANGE, MASS.
For Sale by W. S. MOORE

Jess Willard World's Champion Coming

By Jess Willard, world's champion fighting. As soon as the announcement was made that Willard, champion fighter of the world, would be seen witth the 101 Ranch Wild West in Charleroi on June 16, parties began forming to visit that city, to see the big fellow demonstrate how he won the fight in the famous 26th round at Havana, Cuba on April 5th. We cannot personally say just how much sporting blood is in our veins, but we are frank to confess we were among the ones who "wanted to give him the go over," and unless all indications [illegible], we are going to see him box those three rounds with his sparing partner, we want to se him illustrate how he brought the championship back to the white race, and the press agent, as well as the posters, assures us the twenty sixth round will be demonstrated. If the prize ring must be a part of our amusement, we are glad it is headed by a man who is clean, mentally, morally, physically. It is claimed Willard is the only perfectly formed big man—he is six feet six inches tall—there is any record of. His arms measure from finger tips to finger tips, 81 inches, his weight is 248 pounds, hat 7¾.

Take a
Rexall Orderlie
Tonight
It will act as a laxative in the morning
Craig's Drug Store.

DOUBT DISAPPEARS

No One in Monessen who has a Bad Back Should Ignore This Double Proof

Does your back ever ache?
Have you ever suspected your kidneys?
Backache is sometimes kidney ache.
With it may come dizzy spells.
Sleepless nights, tired, dull days.
Distressing urinary disorders.
Doan's Kidney Pills have been endorsed by thousands.
Are recommended here at home.
You have read Monessen proof.
Read now the Monessen sequel.
Renewed testimony; tested by time.

Mrs. A. W. Jenkins, 25 McKee avenue, Monessen, says: "I suffered from attacks of kidney trouble. I first noticed a severe pain in my back. I though it was lumbago. I frequently had dizzy spells. My kidneys didn't act properly and the kidney secretions were unnatural. Before I had taken one box of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at the Hirsch Drug Co., I was greatly benefitted."

(Statement given Nov. 10, 1909.)

STILL PRAISES DOAN'S

On January 26, 1914, Mrs. Jenkins said: "I still take Doan's Kidney Pills whenever occasion demands and they always give me relief."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Gilmore had. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Business Promptly Attended To
STEAMSHIP AGENCY
Monessen Savings & Trust Co
Alfred Tanzer, Manager
Authorized Agents of the Steamship Lines. Bell Phone

Have Your House Wired for Electricity

Electric light is the most convenient light you can use. It's much cheaper since introduction of the
Edison Mazda Lamps

Think of the convenience and cleanliness.

Have us estimate the wiring for your house new or old.

MONESSEN PLUMBING & ELECTRIC CO.

CHAS. E. PARR
"The Sunbeam Store"
Sixth Street Schoonmaker Ave.

SPECIALS THIS WEEK

Fresh Halibut Steak Friday & Saturday	Fine Country Butter 28c lb.	Good No. 6 brooms 19c each
3 large cans Tomatoes 25c	Bridal soa 5c per can	Ginger Snaps 3 lb. 25c
Special sale Aluminum Ware See display	Large size bottle catsup 14c	2 lb. cake Gold Band laundry soap 11c cake

See our Line Fresh Home Dressed Meats
Pork, Beef, Veal and Spring Lamb at reasonable prices

See our Display of Fresh Green Goods
Extra fancy berries Saturday.

BOARDING and FEED STABLE
Hay, grain and all kinds of poultry food.
Horses boarded, also harness and wagons well cared for
Private stalls.
L. W. HUNTER,
153 Donner Ave. Phone 130-M.

Suggestions for Shoppers

We can supply your wants for the dining room.

China Closets
Buffets
Tables
Chairs
Dishes

in fact everything in furniture for the home.

Moore's Big Furniture Store
545-547 Donner Ave. Bell Phone 173-J
UNDERTAKING

FISHER & SHAFFER
ELECTRICIANS
401 Donner Avenue

Contractors in Electrical work of all kinds, also dealers in Electrical Supplies, including chandeliers and household electrical equipment.

Repair Work a Specialty. Estimates Cheerfully Furnished

Westmoreland Lumber Co.

LUMBER, BUILDERS SUPPLIES MILL WORK AND GENERAL CONTRACTING

901 Donner Avenue Monessen, Pa.
Phone 112

New Colonial Billiard Room and Bowling Alleys
408 Donner Ave. New Myford Bldg.
Finest alleys, best equipped room. A refreshing place to spend your spare time. Cigars and confections on sale.
MONACK & MARCHION, Prop's.

A. Marple & Co., Motor Transfer

Special Attention Given to Long Distance Moving Household Goods moved anywhere between Union Town and Pittsburgh in the New Big Van that insures them reaching their destination without injury.

PHONE IN YOUR ORDER
PROMPT SERVICE

WHEN HUNGRY

you want something palatable to satisfy the inner man.

Everything at the Busy Bee is cooked and served in the most delectable style, that you cannot help but enjoy it.

Once you come you always will. Lunches packed,

Busy Bee Restaurant
Donner Ave., between Fifth and Sixth Streets

HERE I AM!
In a New Location
300 Schoonmaker Avenue, Near Third St.,

Better than ever ready to serve you in making and repairing Umbrellas, Parasols, Locks, Keys, Guns, etc.
Give me a Call

Rosen's Repair Shop
The only one of its kind in town.

FOLLOW THE CROWD
OLYMPIC
Finest Pool, Billiard and Bowling Parlor in the Monongahela Valley.
Harry Lebowitz, Manager
Pay us a visit. Always busy.
Go Where the Crowd Goes

Old King "Coal"
LUMP, RUN-OF-MINE AND SLACK
Will be delivered promptly to your order from our mine on Rostraver Road.
Phone 93 Mine Phone 73-R Residence

Wenona Coal Co.
(Incorporated)

If You Want

your home furnished complete and if you want to do it at a reasonable price visit **Jake Bornstein.**

He'll take your cash or trust you if you have'nt the money. Can anything be fairer?

Bornstein's
Schoonmaker Ave.

Gasoline for the Trade

Atlantic Refining Company's product delivered in your car at the surprisingly low price of 18 cents per galion. Lower than the lowest.

Harry Fellenbaum
Corner Second and Donner

Walter C. Scott
Teacher of Violin
Private lessons by appointment
P. O. Box 225, Belle Vernon

Fish! Fish! Fish!
FRESH SHAD
received daily, also
Halibut, California Red Salmon, Lake Superior, white, Yellow Salmon, Blue Pike, Perch, Butter Fish, Smelts, Eels, etc.
Oysters and Clams Fresh every day.
Anything in the Seafood line gotten in a days's notice on special order.
Monessen Fish House
Samuel Corter, Prop'r.
358 Schoonmaker Ave Monessen
Phone 184-R
All orders promptly delivered

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

WHO PAYS? The LOVE LIARS by EDWIN BLISS

(Copyright, 1915, by Pathe Exchange, Inc All Moving Picture Rights and all Foreign Copyrights Strictly Reserved)

FOURTH STORY

I.

The door of No 492 trembled violently, then lunged from its hinges and the two policemen leaped into the office. The clod that had been Charles Leed, investment broker, sprawled in a swivel chair, his head and the right hand, still gripping the revolver, reaching nervelessly out upon the littered desk

The desk blotter was still a bit damp A newspaper scare head there had been heavily marked by a 6B lead pencil:

"TITAN SHIP COMPANY FORCED TO WALL"

"War smashes Gigantic Enterprise—Mysterious Unknown Financier Behind T. S. Co Loses Entire Investment '

A tiny memorandum slip torn hurriedly from a book, with the names of the city's twelve principal banks and trust companies lay upon the floor And that was all

The Mirror's police reporter slipped into their puzzled conference.

"Sergeant told me a man phoned in he was going to kill himself here," he explained. "What do you boys make of it?"

'Well, you've got to hand it to the guy—he made good," Officer Carney answered "Ought to make a big story, Harvey Leed was dirty with money—wasn't he?"

The reporter smiled at the inference that a suicide never takes the biggest jump until his money is gone Inwardly, he was laughing at their bewilderment. A good story? Why, it was a whale, a triple-decker of a story! And a story plainly written!

Charles Leed, the eminently wealthy investment broker, had been the Mysterious Unknown who shoveled millions so carelessly into the smashed ship company With the last glimmering of hope he had written the wealthy heiress, Miss Selma Ashton, that her millions had been a part of those swept away. But why Selma Ashton, unless she had made a recent demand for money that hastened the climax? The blotter, turned upside down against the mirror, had spelled out the substance of the broker's last note. He consulted again the memorandum slip Undoubtedly, he had it correctly

Leed was the mysterious backer of the Titan company The Titan company smashed. Selma Ashton inconveniently required money. Leed tackled the banks and trust companies mentioned on the slip for aid but without success Then—a subject for the coroner.

II.

Mrs. Pressley's lips compressed as she read David Dwight's note The thought of his marriage to the beautiful creature just across the tea things was repugnant to her.

Selma Ashton checked the laugh upon her lips, a roguish gleam lighting her eyes Under lowered lashes she mused aloud.

"He's a dear, old man," she murmured as though to herself, studying the shades of disgust upon Mrs. Pressley's countenance with infinite relish "He's got simply millions and his wife would get it all, and they say a private physician devotes all his time to keeping him alive from hour to hour."

Mrs. Pressley's nose upturned.

"He's so sweet and kindly," Selma sighed "And even though he is old and feeble you can see for yourself the flame of love burns strong in his heart. Right on the heels of his note he announces he will come to put his important question. A perfect Lochinvar, my dear!"

She threw back her head, bursting into peal after peal of ringing laughter. Mrs. Pressley drew herself erect, uncertain whether to assume an air of injured dignity or to join in the mirth.

"You dear old thing!' Selma gasped "Of course, I haven't any idea of marrying him. In the first place he's old, and in the second place he's not the man I want, and in the third place he isn't the man I want to marry and never could be. But you were so funny when you thought me in earnest. Just for that I'll forgive your scolding about my asking Mr. Leed to send me a hundred thousand dollars Now, we must be ready to receive the eager wooer."

Her companion ordered the butler to clear the tea table, then slowly followed the beautiful girl up the stairs

She could hear Selma dismissing her maid and moved into the hall, accompanying her to the drawing room She hurriedly started to withdraw at a flutter of the door-bell but halted inquiringly as the butler entered with a note for his mistress.

The companion gazed with increasing wonderment at the young heiress A few moments before she had walked down the stairs with the radiant creature, the happy, care-free girl And now, in the space of time it took for her eyes to travel across the line or a briefly scrawled note, all the girlishness had faded away, leaving the hard speculative expression there of a cold, calculating, scheming woman

Mrs Pressley took the note from the outstretched hand. It was brief, cruelly brief and arrogant, the note of the suicide broker who seemed to think his atonement made by the mere snuffing out of his own existence Everything the girl possessed wiped out by the smash of the Titan Ship company'

The door bell pealed and she started violently Her eyes fastened appealingly, half afraid, upon the girl But Selma Ashton did not see her, immersed in her own thoughts At the sound of the bell, her shoulders had straightened

She turned slowly toward the door, half rising as the butler announced David Dwight Her eyes met those of her companion, and there was a defiant expression in them defiant yet triumphant A nod of the head, sharp, decisive dismissed the woman who started to protest against the sacrifice she could see the girl had determined to make

David Dwight had not gained his millions through procrastination He had come decisively to the point And yet there was something splendid about him that made the older woman's heart go out to him Sne repressed a little cry of pain as she caught the tremolo that all unconsciously crept into his voice.

'I do not want you to marry me, Selma, unless you love me I want you more than anything in the world —but not that much Not without love, Selma, for I—I know what love means—now"

Came a scuffle at the door, following the bell She could hear the butler's voice raised in protest against some intrusion, then the awkward scraping of feet immediately preceding an intruder's rush toward the room where the pair were. Mrs. Pressley peered through the portieres curiously The newcomer was very young and very breathless and very dishevelled from his encounter with the butler, who was hurriedly pursuing, his hand outstretched as though to grasp the intruder by the arm Dwight rose angrily.

"Mirror reporter, Miss Ashton! Charles Leed is a suicide after misappropriating your fortune to prop up the Titan Ship company. Anything to say—"

With superb art, the girl half rose from the divan She reached out her

It Was a Whale of a Story the Reporter Found

hands as though to support herself, then sank gently back, staring incredulously at the reporter The butler had his hand upon the fellow's shoulder and David Wright seized the other, hustling him toward the door

Mrs. Pressley could not forego a final glance. Selma Ashton was smiling, but the smile died away as, patting his waistcoat which had become disarranged in the struggle, Dwight re-entered the room and stood looking down at her.

"You did not know, Selma" He put the question softly, as though fearful of asking but eager for the answer "You did not know before—"

'I understood—what you mean—" she said, quietly, but with a cutting meaningness that showed the depth of her hurt. "You mean—that—" Her voice trembled, broke completely as she found herself unable to voice the remainder of her sentence

III.

There is no poison more subtle nor effective than self indulgence Like a narcotic it grips the moral sense and submerges completely every feeling of obligation But, as with all drugs there are moments when the effect is bound to wear off and then all the spectral horrors that gape and grin at the addict have their hour.

Times there were when this hour visited Selma, driving her into deceptions for which she hated herself but which caused an intense, unreasoning loathing to rise within her against the price she had paid whereby to drug herself.

There was that terrible time when David Dwight asked her to drink to their future happiness Clear as a deep toned bell, two words only of the marriage ritual dinned at her ears, throbbed at her stupefied brain Until death—Until death—Until death—

At her new home she bore herself regally as she met the servants, and was introduced to Doctor Holland, the young man who was in constant attendance on her husband. As his hand touched hers she felt an instant, unexplained sympathy for him

Week trod upon the heels of week until Selma became conscious that she was keeping track of time, was counting days. She knew in her heart yet would not admit to herself that time could never begin for her until she was freed from David Dwight.

Came the fear that something of this thought might be apparent to the man. And so by look, word and act she strove the more zealously to deceive him.

It was the third month that she came upon him in the library, came upon him and paused swiftly to retreat if her entrance had not been observed. She caught the rustle of skirts and looking up, saw Mrs Pressley and Doctor Holland in a corner of the room The expression upon the companion's face was peculiarly accusing and yet triumphant, while that upon the countenance of Doctor Holland, as their eyes met, was half pity, half—she trembled violently as she tried to analyze exactly what the remainder of that expression told

Though she had fought bitterly against it, there was something so virile, so young, so intrepid about the man's fight that she had admired him, even though she knew the thing he fought for made him the bitterest enemy she could have owned. This admiration she knew was more than reciprocated.

Dwight turned in his chair and she moved toward him. There was the light of a great happiness in his eyes an expression which seemed to glorify the man. There was something so tremendously splendid about her husband and something so delicately fine and sensitive that seemed continually asserting itself in his face, causing such hot self-recrimination to arise within herself that she hated him for the torture he innocently caused

There was something electrical in the very air of the room, something that caused her to be afraid. Dwight took her hand, resting it upon his chest, fondling it tenderly. The physician and Mrs Pressley moved softly from the room. She looked at the millionaire's face more intently, her heart fluttering as she saw some great change there. And now, with a great wave of self-hatred at the criminality of the thought, she read it for what it was.

David Dwight, her husband, this man to whom she was bound for life, was a well man. David Dwight had regained his health. That life which for so long a time had been aflutter was now fixed and rigidly in place

Even as he drew her soft cheek to his own, kissing her softly tenderly, she felt herself go cold She knew he was about to speak, about to tell her of the miracle and felt that she could stand no more now She was stifling. She must get away before she betrayed herself.

Muttering an excuse she lunged blindly up the stairs to her own room

Snatching a scarf she groped her way to the garden, fighting down the bitterness within her heart. She seated herself on a bench in the little summer house, staring sightlessly before her, fighting desperately.

She looked up quickly at slow footsteps, her eyes lighting as Doctor Holland strolled down the walk, a book in his hand. For just a second she thought him about to pass on, after bowing to her, then, with a little shrug he seated himself beside her. She did not wish him there and still she was glad of his presence She could not understand the conflict of absolutely antithetical emotions the man stirred up within her. Looking furtively at his troubled face she could see he was in no mood for chatter on trivialities

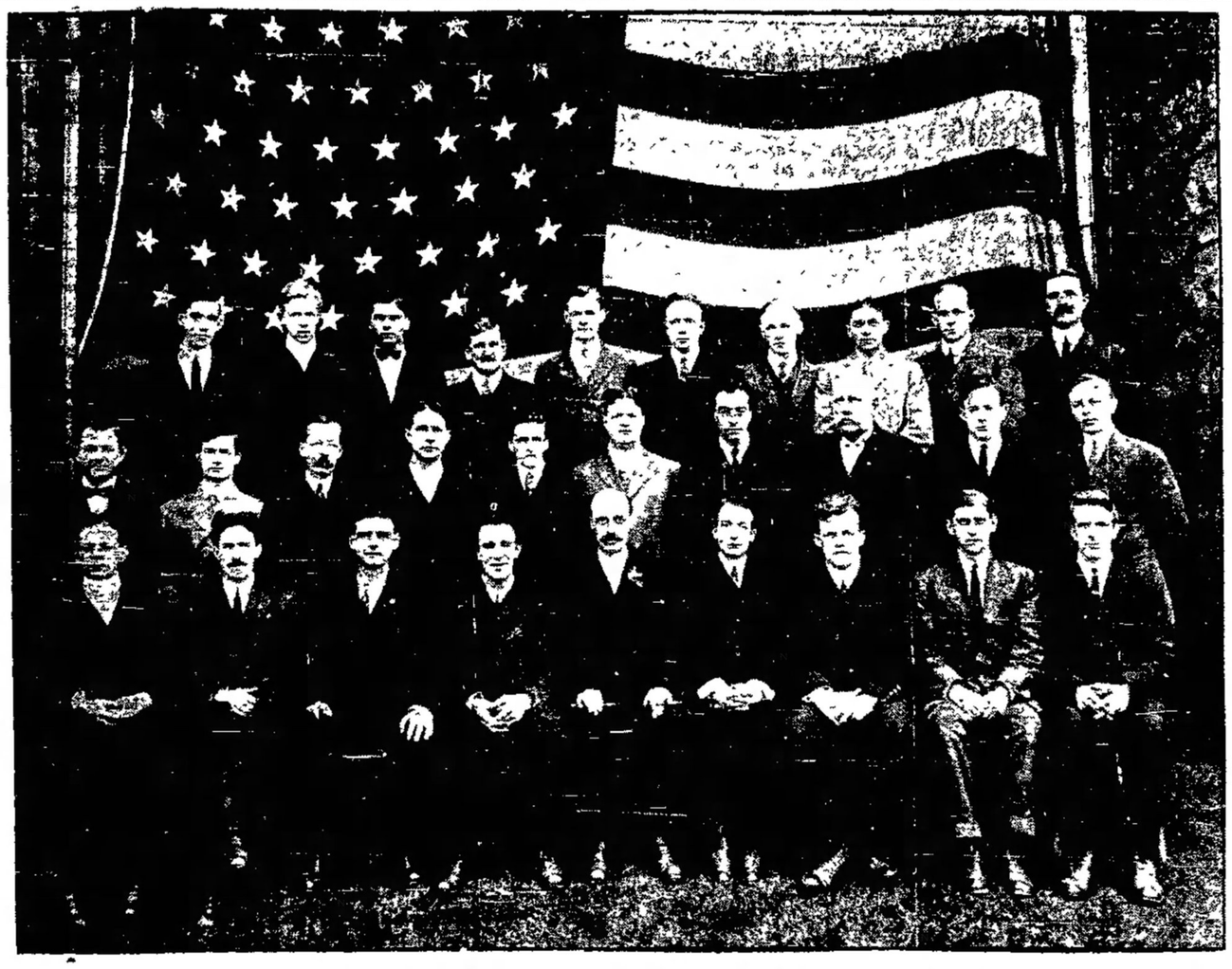
In the flurry of the moment she reached out to take the book from his hands. It rested beside her, but her nerves seemed stunned, anesthetized Something had seemed to break within the very soul of her at the contact of his fingers She could not move from that magnetic touch

Slowly, gently, so slightly as to be almost imperceptible, his fingers closed upon her own—just enough so she was aware the man knew what he was doing She lifted her eyes, desperately, pleadingly.

Some power from outside herself caught and held her, breathless and afraid. Doctor Holland rose swiftly, his face wearing the expression of one who has looked upon deadly danger and wishes, yet is afraid, to embrace it Without a word he turned upon his heel and strode toward the house.

With lips parted, Selma stared before her. She knew now that the great doctor had come to her with his demand for payment in full. And she knew that evasion of the debt was—

The rustle of a petticoat caused her to look up in quick anger. Mrs. Pressley stood before her, an accusing, righteous expression on her face that told the young wife instantly the scene that had just transpired was no secret to the companion. In a fit of anger, Selma dismissed her from her service and she went straight to the husband, with her story.



This is the Monessen Male Chorus who will give a concert in the Monessen High School Auditorium on June 10th at 8 p. m. If you have a boy or girl who goes to school, you are interested, or should be, as this concert is for the benefit of the Public School Library. The chorus are some singers and you should hear them without fail.

IN THE DAILY INDEPENDENT
Every Tuesday and Wednesday
at the
Olympic Theatre Thursday

HARRISBURG WOMAN FINDS QUICK RELIEF

Mary Wheeler Gains in Weight After Taking Wonderful Remedy.

Mary Wheeler of 706 Green street, Harrisburg, Pa, for a long time was a victim of stomach disorders. She tried many treatments and found nothing that could help her.

At last she came upon Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and quickly found herself on the way to health She wrote

"I received your wonderful stomach remedy I took it and it acted just as you said it would. I had suffered with my stomach for nearly a year and doctored all the time. The first dose of your treatment gave me relief I feel like new I had awful distress after eating and suffered from bloating and gas, but now I feel fine, am gaining in weight and can eat anything

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments Eat as much and whatever you like No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever, nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

PIMPLEINE

FOR PIMPLES FOR WRINKLES

PIMPLEINE is not a face cream, not a liquid face powder. External treatment is the only cure for face pimples. PIMPLEINE will remove pimples and at the same time produce a beautiful complexion, not injuring the most delicate skin.

PIMPLEINE is a wonder worker for wrinkles and has been used successfully by many ladies.

For men who shave themselves and those who would like to, will find PIMPLEINE has no equal. Used after shaving, makes the face smooth as velvet. We will guarantee any man who cannot shave on account of tender face, that by using PIMPLEINE a few times, after each shave, can shave every day with perfect ease, the face not being a bit tender.

PIMPLEINE has no equal for hives in children. Ivy Poisoning. Insect Bites. We guarantee PIMPLEINE to please you, or your money refunded.

Sold by GUY R. EDDY. 80-2tw tf

BIDS FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES

In compliance with section 708 of School Code, the Monessen school board is ready to receive bids for school supplies for the second class for the ensuing year. All information concerning this may be received at the office of the superintendent.

May 27, 1915. 95 1tw 3w

NOTICE

My wife, Mrs James Reese, of 27 Grant avenue, having left my bed and board without just provocation, I hereby notify all parties that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her in the future.

0-3t James Reese.

A Great Line of Groceries

It's a complete line too, that we carry. Ask us to show you. You want it when you want it and we have it. We keep our stock turning over. Always fresh goods, appetizing, and we give you quick service. We are ready to fill your wants.

D. R. ROGERS & CO.
"YOUR CAREFUL GROCERS"
Phone 120. Auto Delivery 433 Schoonmaker Ave.

IS YOUR CREDIT GOOD?

The Representatives of the

MERCHANTS CREDIT CO.

OF PORTLAND, ME.

Are Arranging for the Publication of a

CREDIT GUIDE

For this District as a Basis of Credit

BY THIS SYSTEM each individual is placed on record, showing how many places they secure credit and with what degree of promptness they pay their bills. The book will show, not the financial standing, but the **Credit Standing** of everybody, man or woman, who trades on time, and is not a financial rating. The poor man who pays his bills promptly will secure a higher rating than the man of means who does not.

Now is the Time to Pay Your Old Accounts and Secure a

GOOD CREDIT RATING

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Jess Williard Gets One Thousand Dollars

One Thousand Dollars per day sounds like a "dream" or a story from the fertile fancy of some press agent. But the facts prove themselves. The enormous busines done by the 101 Ranch Wild West at every performance shows the sound judgment of the proprietors of that enterprise in selecting Willard as a feature this summer. When one takes a moment for mental calculation it proves simply that Willard must draw one thousand people at each performance at fifty cents each to pay his wage. Two thousand people per day does the trick. As they only play one city a day, they have new population to draw on each perfromance. The summer season wil last about 32 weeks, or two hundred days. This means they must play to four hundred thousand people during the season, that would not have come to see the shows, had Willard not been one of its attractions. If the enthusiasm shown on the afternoon of the day of the fight in Havana is any indication, Manager Arlington not only will get the four hundred thousand patrons he needs to keep him even he will get ten times that many, and that would figure "some profit" on his investment—we think. The exhibition day—Willard day—in Charleroi is Wednesday, June 16.

Successful Season Of Junior League

The Junior H. S. League closed the season in one of the best played and most interesting of all games. 7B and 7A were tied for first place, making an extra game possible. The league closed its season with only regrets from the boys that it should be longer. Enthusiasm and interest were showed by all in not only the Junior H. S., but in all the other schools, they had their favorite team.

For the last game there was a very large crowd, both boys and girls as well as some of the older folks, all full of interest, enthusiasm and rooting for their favorites. The game was hard and bitterly fought, but no decisions were disputed on either side, the losers acknowledging that the better team won.

Since the Junior H. S. league was such a grand success and much interest and enthusiasm showed, athletics should be taken up more extensively which would create more interest and competition in school which would be valuable training for those entering High school, and still more valuable for those who must stop in the grades.

Yoney for the 7B team proved the master of 7A. In fact he was one of the stars of the league, while O. Venneri and Maliniak proved valuable asistants, while Davies, Teginila and Hopkins did the bulk of the work for 7A. All of the teams are contemplating entering thme Playground league. Score:—

7B ..... 2 1 1 0 0 0 *—4
7A ..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2

7B—Yoney and O. Venneri.
7A—Davies and Hopkins.
Umpire—White.

City Officials Must Stand Trial

Mayor George W. McLeish of Steubenville, O., was put on trial today on an indictment for extortion in charging four foreigners $19 excess fees. The selection of a jury went over a day, as the attempt to secure one failed because so many had formed opinions in the case. The contest to get a jury was as spirited as in a first degree murder case. Assistant Attorney General H. S. Ballyard is assisting in the prosecution.

When the case of Hugh W. Patterson, city clerk of Steubenville, who was recently indicted on thirty counts for fraudulent acts as a city official and contractor, was called in court yesterday, he plead guilty to fraudulently securing $254 of the city's money. He was given a parole sentence to the penitentiary. He at once handed in his resignation as city clerk and director of public safety and is also to make good any amount that civil suits determine he owes the city.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking the persons who assisted in the recovery of the body of our son, who was drowned yesterday in the Monongahela river. Their kindly assistance shall never be forgotten by the sorrowing father, mother and children

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes

STAR TODAY

"The Girl Who Might Have Been" Don't miss this good show. There are also other good ones. 5 cents and 10 cents. Vaudeville Friday and Saturday. 1t

Wills Probated of Lusitania Victims

Buffalo, N. Y., June 8—The wills of Elbert Hubbard and his wife, who lost their lives in the Lusitania disaster, were filed for probate here yesterday. The documents were drawn by Mr. Hubbard and were almost identical. Both provided that in case one survived the other, the estate should be divided equally between Elbert H. Hubbard II, son, and Miriam, daughter. Several other children by Hubbard's first marriage, are not mentioned in the will.

The value of the estate is problematical, although it is known that Mr. Hubbard carried insurance policies amounting to over $100,000. He owned considerable real estate at East Aurora.

Young Girl Elopes With Aged Lover

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Woods of Washington, Pa., were apprised by their daughter Frances, aged 19, that she had run away from the Combs Conservatory of Music, which she was attending in Philadelphia, and on June 1 had married in New York City, Dr. Johann M. Blose, aged 60 of this place.

Dr. Blose, one of the leading musicians in Western Pennsylvania, was a few months ago divorced from his first wife, after a trial in which Miss Woods' name was mentioned without any charges proved against her.

Thaw Case Again

New York, N. Y., June 8—Harry K. Thaw appeared in the Supreme court yesterday, hoping that the jury trial to determine his sanity would be on the calendar. As the case of Thaw is now before the Court of Appeals in Albany, and no opinion has been handed down, the matter was adjourned until June 16, when it will again come up before Justice Hendrick.

S. F. Hartman, associated with John B. Stanchfield, counsel for Thaw, said his side would require about five days in the jury trial. Frank K. Cook, representing the Attorney General's office, though his side would require about three days. He said his chief witnesses would be alienists.

ODD BITS OF NEWS

A clock made entirely of straw and willow tithes has been completed recently in Switzerland. The chimes are made of straw put through a special process to give a ringing sound. Not a bit of metal was used in the unique clock.

The "earlist to bed" city in America is Dallas, Texas. By nine thirty the streets are almost deserted and at ten harly a glimmer of light can be seen in the residential section.

The blue whale has a mouth so large that a dozen men can stand upright in it, although its throat is only nine inches in diameter.

The Gaekwar of Baroda, whose son recently graduated from Harvard, has two solid gold guns and two silver ones. The gold guns weigh 400 pounds each. When the Gaekwar went to meet the Prince of Wales, he took the gold guns with him to salute the English prince.

A memorandum written on an almanac was recognized as a will at Holcomb, N. Y. and $7,500 was disposed of according to the writing.

Football in Burma is almost as popular as it is in America. The natives play the game unshod and do all their kicking with bare toes.

Nine pastors in overalls shingled the roof of a church in St. Louis, while the pastor of the church stood by and bossed the job. The ministers were fulfilling a pledge they had made on a dare and demonstrated they were "good sports."

The largest statue in existence is that of Peter the Great in Petrograd It weighs 1,000 tons.

Of all the trees, pines are believed to live longest. Some have attained ages reckoned at 700 years.

The common marigold is venerated by the Hindus, who frequently adorn their idols with wreaths of the golden flowers.

The Esquimos have solved the problem of paying doctors The physician is paid when he arrives. If the patient recovers he keeps the fee, but if he fails to cure, he returns it to the family.

Sixty thousand miles of moving picture films are manufactured each year to meet the demands of the "movies."

A revival of the old Roman aqueduct system is now under way to furnish water to Southeastern Italy The duct will cost nearly five millions.

Sweet potatoes are supplanting rice as the diet of the Chinese The tubers grow in all sections of the empire and the natives like them better than rice.

Local Notes

—Amann's Home Roasted Coffee. 79-tf

—Miss Elsie Janavitz of First street, spent the day in the city.

—W. W. Smallwood and son Roy were Pittsburgh visitors yesterday.

—Wednesday at the Olympic—The 16th episode of "The Exploits of Elaine." 1t

—C. O. Warren of Coraopolis, was a guest yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith of Knox avenue.

—No Coffee like Amann's Home Roasted. 79-tf

—Miss Mollie Karl of Aliquippa avenue, spent the day in Donora.

—Mrs. Chris Haury of Knox avenue, visited relatives in McKeesport today.

—Buy Amann's Home Roasted Coffee. 79-tf

—Mrs. A. Nayhouse and son of McKee avenue, were Pittsburgh callers today.

—Friday at the Olympic—The great Suffrage melodrama, in six reels, "Your Girl and Mine." 1t

—Dr. B. L. Sellmeyer returned yesterday from Kansas City, Mo., where he was called about a week ago by the illness of his father.

—Try Amann's Home Roasted Coffee. 79-tf

—Miss Martha Parker returned to her home in Connellsville today after visiting relatives here for several days.

—A marriage license was issued in Pittsburgh yesterday to Arthur F. Tolf of this city and Miss Cora Coleman of New Orleans, La.

—Miss Beatrice Melick left this morning for Duncan Falls, Ohio, after spending the winter teaching in the local schools.

—Last night at 9:30 the stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. James De Rose, 360 Schoonmaker avenue and left a fine baby girl weighing 9½ pounds.

—Mrs. Stanley Martzoff and two daughters, Catherine and Martha, returned to their home in Westover this morning after spending the past month with Mrs. Martzoff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Haury of Knox avenue. Earl Haury, a brother accompanied them to make an extended visit.

—Liberty Rhode Island Reds for hatching. Chicks 10c each. Hen hatch 12c. Pound chicks. An excellent strain, great layer. Indian runner duck eggs. Mortality of chicks very low. We deliver. Phone or write F. E. McClain, Belle Vernin, Pa., R. D. 33, telephone 139 ring 3. 1-mo.

—There will be a grand concert given in the A. M. E. church tonight, June 8, by 30 children. The program consists of recitations, readings and instrumental music and a play called "The Baby Show of Pineville," which alone is worth the price of admission. Come one, come all and see the well drilled children playing their part. Admision—adults, 10 cents; children, 5 cents. 1t

—If you want your wagon and harness kept clean, board it at Hunter's Livery stable, 153 Donner avenue. Phone 130-M. 80-3tw tf

The average duration of life is increasing. It has risen from 21½ years in the sixteenth century to 40½ in the nineteenth century.

Trustees of the Moose and Owl clubs of Youngstown, O., have plead guilty to indictments charging illegal sale of liquor and will be sentenced later by Judge W. S. Anderson. The penalty is a fine of $100 to $500. The Moose club is charged with selling liquor without a license. The Eagles entered a plea of not guilty.

STAR TODAY

"The Girl Who Might Have Been." Don't miss this good show. There are also other good ones. 5 cents and 10 cents. Vaudeville Friday and Saturday. 1t

Barnhart & Ankney, Atty.
Estate of Thomas W. Agnew, deceased.
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Thomas W. Agnew, late of Monessen, Pa., Westmoreland county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Westmoreland county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated for settlement.

Albert Agnew,
Administrator
Monessen, Pa. 5-6tw

IF YOU WANT THE NEWS WITHOUT WHISKERS, READ THIS PAPER. ALSO READ THE ADS. THEY'RE FRESH TOO.

CHAT ON SUFFRAGE WITH AVERAGE MAN

The following is the second installment of a series of articles by Florence Goff Schwarz, State Campaign Manager of the Pennsylvania Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage.

By Florence Goff Schwarz.

Well, well, Mr. Average Man, what's the trouble now? You seem all fussed up about something. Been talking to a suffragette? I thought so. Now you're in a quandary—sort of steering between rocks. No, you needn't explain. I know all the suffrage stock arguments. She told you she wanted the vote to bring about prohibition, to secure sanitary and healthful conditions for her children, in fact she explained that votes for women would bring about a regular Arcadia, a sort of Beulah Land, and that an injection of feminine anti toxin would rid this country of political "graftitis," now didn't she?

Wait till I catch my breath and I'll give you a few questions to ask her when you see her again. You're going at it right, Mr. Average Man; study both sides and then use your head; don't LOSE it, because the issue is up to you and it's a bigger one than most people think.

You just ask her that if woman suffrage is going to bring about prohibition why it hasn't accomplished that little feat in the forty-six years since women voted. Men put prohibition in Kansas years before women voted in that state. Colorado was wet over nineteen years under woman suffrage, then we antis got after conditions there, and probably the voters were ashamed of their state, for they made a special spurt and swung it into line with the "drys," and NOW what has happened? Denver, the most congested city, has hopped out of line with remarkable alacrity and voted herself wet in open defiance of the state law. I pity Governor Carlson, for he has got something on his hands and the women won't help him, for they were right there WITH THEIR BALLOTS, and no restrictions against using them.

Governor Carlson says in the Boulder Herald of May 28th: "Legislative action is seeking to destroy the constitution and government of our state." Pretty perplexing for the governor, isn't it? The Denver Post announces jauntily that Emma Goldman, the Socialist-Suffragette-Anarchist, will return to Denver next week with a series of five lectures, the first taking place on Sunday. Emma must be a steady contributor to Denver intelligence since the Post says she is returning. Probably she will be able to suggest some way out where a principal city side-steps state government.

Mr. Average Man, ask that suffragette acquaintance of yours why the National Woman Suffrage Association circulates socialistic and feministic matter of the most radical type. Ask her, if she is in earnest about protection and welfare of children, why she doesn't repudiate these doctrines, such as the assertion of Mrs. Harriet Stenton Blach: "I rejoice in every working man's co-operative dwelling, because it is a blow aimed at the individual home."

You believe in the home, don't you, Mr. Average Man? I thought so; then I'm sure you will see danger in the utterance of Dr. Anna Shaw, national head of the Suffrage Association "Give us state motherhood instead of personal motherhood." Fancy the state cuddling little frowsy heads, binding up tiny cut fingers, teaching "Now I Lay Me" to love-hungering babies all in a row in some state institution. Dr. Anna Shaw, in her biography, said: "My dear father, like many another man, should never have married." We are glad she said it first, it saves us a lot of bother.

"Not one advance step has been taken by women which has not been blocked by these two words, 'Wifehood and Motherhood,'" was expounded by another leading suffragette. Ask this acquaintance who begs you to vote yourself out of your happy home why her association voices no protest against the teachings of its leaders.

In regard to women bettering sanitary conditions, ask her why Mayor Armstrong, of Boulder City, Colorado, was forced to issue a public proclamation in the Daily Herald of May 27th concerning the proper care of carcasses "in order," he states, "to avoid the necessity of prosecution under the ordinance."

Ask her why California and several other suffrage states are "wet" when women have wielded that magical weapon, the ballot, for three years.

Tell her that when she can produce official evidence that the woman suffrage association does not uphold Socialism, Feminism, communism, raising of children and other menaces to sound civilization, you will consider voting for her cause. Don't take the word of an individual suffragist in such a matter; make her produce the bona fide evidence from the associations which she represents

In Litchfield, Conn., recently, a suffragist milliner placed a placard in her show window which read "Mormon Women Have Votes. Why Shouldn't We?" The next morning another sign appeared, which the suffragists declared was the diabolical work of someone, supposedly a man which read: "Mormon Men Have Several Wives, Why Shouldn't We?"

STATE CAMPAIGN MANAGER OF ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS

The above photograph is of Mrs. Florence Goff Schwarz, who is called "General Schwarz" in Ohio, her resident state, since she has led the anti-forces on to victory in three hotly contested campaigns.

Ohio on Sept. 3, 1912, gave 87,455 majority against woman suffrage, with but a 50 per cent. vote of the state, Hamilton county, where Mrs. Schwarz resides, contributed 29,000 votes in that campaign.

Wisconsin was next on the list, with an election in November. Under the auspices of the National Association of Anti-Suffragists, Mrs. Schwarz took charge of that state, which, after a rapid-fire campaign, replied with 90,000 majority against votes for women.

The initiative and referendum law of Ohio enabled the suffragists to bring the question again to the voters in 1914. Being early prepared for the struggle, Mrs. Schwarz syndicated press matter in state-wide circulation, inaugurated several other original campaign methods, springing surprises on the suffragists. In this election Ohio thundered forth 182,905 majority against politics for women, a gain of 95,450, and more than doubling the majority of the previous election. "But I couldn't have done much," said Mrs. Schwarz, "without the wonderful assistance of the women and the financial help of the men, the solid men of the state, in all instances they assisted nobly in carrying out the plans which led us to victory. The press also was very loyal to our side."

Mrs. Schwarz is a gifted writer as well as a campaigner, and gave up lucrative contracts in order to carry on a crusade against votes for women; her verse and prose articles are now dedicated to anti-suffrage work. She feels that her mission is to save women from a folly than which there is no greater in the category of modern movements.

Penny Gone! No Warts.

Maurice, age six, was weeping bitterly and mother inquired as to the cause of the deluge. "I bought two warts from Vincent for a penny," he wailed, and Vincent hasn't given me the warts and won't give my penny back."

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework; call at 1115 Schoonmaker avenue. 4-3t

—WANTED—Waitress; apply at the Busy Bee restaurant. 3-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; call at 1115 Schoonmaker avenue. 4-3t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 38 Schoonmaker avenue. 4-3t

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms or light housekeeping. 350 Donner avenue. 5-3tp

TO LET—Furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Jones building, Sixth and Donner. 4-3tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 209 McKee avenue. 0-tf

FOR RENT—Four room flat and bath in new Independent building, everything in good shape, rent $18.00 Will be vacant June 1st. Also two front flats of five rooms and bath, $25.00. See Shuster & Reed. 96-tf

FOR RENT

Front flat of five rooms, nice and light, well ventilated, newly papered, rent $24.00

Flat of four rooms and bath $18.00

Inquire of SHUSTER & REED
87 tf 519 Schoonmaker avenue

PAINT YOUR HOUSE WITH PAINT

But study the paint question first. Let us advise you to use an absolutely reliable paint that the manufacturer stands back of. It costs less in the end, because you don't have to order the job repeated so soon.

We recommend THE EAGLE PAINT AND VARNISH CO.'S M.B.C.

justly famous Mixed Paint, because for years it has proven its *lasting* qualities and brilliancy of finish. You cannot buy better paint insurance for your home.

Luce Hardware and Roofing Co.
Controlled by Geo. A. Kircher. 545 Donner Ave.

As Usual--

KOUGHAN'S Leads

This Time it's

FRESH RASPBERRY ICE CREAM

---and---

FRESH PINEAPPLE ICE CREAM

KOUGHAN'S are the originators of all the popular specials, such as Frozen Custard, Black Walnut, French Pudding, etc. Watch the others try to imitate our flavors.

If you want something new and original in ice creams, you can get it only at

HIRSCH DRUG CO.
"The Quality Drug Store."
Leaders Not Followers
Second and Schoonmaker, Phone 92.

YOU CAN REST EASY

in the assurance that you take a good picture. We don't care how hard you think you are to take, we guarantee a perfect portrait. When you sit for your photo we don't hurry you in any way. Take your time and get the right pose. We will aid you with suggestions. When you see the finished picture you'll look pleasant all right. Everybody does.

ATLAS STUDIO
Formerly Datz Studio
514 Donner Ave. Monessen, Pa.
Open every day Phone 134-R.

A Bald Head Only Indicates that the scalp has been neglected. We recommend that you use

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

Kills the germ that causes the hair to fall out and will keep the scalp healthy.

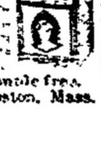
Craig's Drug Store.

Paxtine

A Soluble Antiseptic Powder to be dissolved in water as needed

For Douches

In the local treatment of woman's ills, such as leucorrhoea and inflammation, hot douches of Paxtine are very efficacious. No woman who has ever used medicated douches will fail to appreciate the clean and healthy condition Paxtine produces and the prompt relief from soreness and discomfort which follows. Used in connection with Paxtine's cleansing, purifying and healing properties for ten years the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. has recommended Paxtine in their private correspondence with women, which proves its superior merit. Women who have been cured say it is "worth its weight in gold." 50 cents. Sample free. The Paxton Toilet Co., Boston, Mass.



H. SWARTZ

Second Hand Goods Bought and Sold

Cleaning, dyeing pressing and repairing.

Monessen Opera House Bldg.
Schoonmaker Ave.

J. Samuel
PITTSBURGH-MONESSEN MESSENGER

Pittsburgh Headquarters
Mahrenens' Barber Supply House,
236-238 Second Avenue
Bell Phone 3429-Court

Monessen Headquarters
Residence 314 Donner avenue, Bell Phone 87-J.
Kirk's Drug Store, corner Fourth and Donner
Mikalarias & Berbatis, Fifth and Donner

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®